## WE ARE SHORT OF RAIN

AND FARMER DUNN WILL PROPH-EST NO SMOOTH THINGS.

We Have Learned to Tell Whence the Wind Cometh and Whither It Gooth, but We Cannot Predict Hain Any Better than an Almanne Maker of 1706,

Some other parts of the country have been getting the rain that should by right have been distributed in this locality. All over this re-gion, in New England, New York, New Jersey, and Ohjo, there has been what would be called a drought if it came in midsummer. Nor is there any reason to suppose that there will be more rain later in the year to make up the deficit. At present the principal effect is that small crecks are drying up, rivers are running low, and vegetation is beginning to show the effects

of insufficient water.
Rainfall, considered as a yearly product over a large area, such as a continent, for instance, it a natant quantity. The same amount of rain falls every year because there is the same amount of sunshine which performs a certain amount of evaporation, and the results of that evaporation must be a definite quantity of water, whether it falls as rain or snow. The difficuity is that this fall is not equally distributed. New York State, for instance, might get twice as much wetting as it is entitled to one year, and two or three years later, or maybe the next

and two or three years later, or maybe the next year, not have enough rain to keep the grass green. This season has been a very dry one, and the Western States are getting very wet indeed on what the Eastern States are missing. Moreover, there is no possible way of telling how long the dry spell will last.

It is about six weeks now since there has been a good hard storm here. From Jan, it o April 15 there was a slight excess of rain or snow above the normal, and since then there has been a steadily increasing deficit. For the entire month of April but 1 24-100 inches of rain fell, whereas there should have been 3 29-100, leaving a denct of 25-100 inches. From April 15 to the present date the deficit is 226-100, and so far in the present month but 18-100 inch of rain has fallen. The normal rainfall for this time is 15g inches. What rain has fallen has been mainly in short showers, so that it has ron off instead of easking into the ground. The drought, so farmers say, is much less serious now when planting is going on than it would be two or three weeks from now, when the crops will legin to show above ground; but some harmful effects are being felt already, as the following crop reports for the week ending May 4 will show:

New England—Cool and pleasant, with sharp frosts:

will show:

New Engiand—Cool and pleasant, with sharp freets;
only a trace of rainfail, and top of ground is too dry,
easept on lowlands, where conditions are unusually
good. Fruit binds slicewing well.

New York—Scarcely any rain; grass and spring
goon grain, where up look nicely, but winter wheat
is suffering; soil in flur condition; some corn planted;
many report, peaches killed.

New Jersey—First five days of week ending May 4,
too cool and closely; excertation at a standstill; warm
showers Sunday, with warm sunshine Monday; wonderfully in, rived condition of all crops; proughing
for corn retarded; ground too dry; warm rain needed
in all sections. sections.

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complains of cool, cloudy weather. Obto lacks
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From the Western States come reports of a surplus of rain in such storms that planting has been retarded. In this region trees show but little effect from the dryness, but the grass is loginaling to feel it, and it is probable that the pride of the stiburbanite in his glossy green lawn will be shatered unless Jupiter Pluvius gets his water sprinklers to work pretty soon. From the western part of the State come reports of small creeks drying up, and the larger rivers shrivelling so rapidly in their beds that it is feared the fish will come ashore and eat the early peas. Railroad men report meatow and inderbrush fires destroying rences all around this locality, and say that many of the farmers are already organizing inspection squads to guard against a disastrous spread of the thames.

Tean't promise anything as to rainfail later I can't promise anything as to rainfall later's says Farmer Dunn, "We may get a sucinformation of storms to even matters up, or we may
t for years to get back our average. There
o way to tell except to wait and see."

Honokus, N. J., May 11.-The drought throughout New Jersey is getting to be serious, and unless rain comes soon vegetables and small fruits will suffer severely. Even flowering plants are feeling its effects, especially tulips and other bulbons plants. Strawberries, it is sed, will be about half a crop. Springs and rivulets are drying up rapidly.

COL. CRUGER RE-ELECTED.

Proceedings of the Board.

There was a full meeting of the Park Board yesterday and Col. Cruzer was redicated Presi-lent on a motior made by Commissioner Stiles. Commodore Elbridge T. Gerry made a personal appeal on behalf of the Gerry society for permis ion to bring the minor witnesses intrusted to the society to Central Park for recreation. The society's wagon has an inscription S. P. C. C. on its sides, and a Park ordinance forbids any vehicle bearing an advertising sign within the limits. The wagon is of pale green with

self as sterilized mas in Paradise Park, Tompglins Park, City Hall Park, and the Battery
Park.

Col. Goulden and Charles Hilton Brown,
President and Vice-President of the Taxpayers' Alliance of the Tweaty-third and Twentyfourth wards, aunounced as representing
6,000 voters, and state Senator Guy, hended a
selectation who asked that the Macomb's Dam
liridge be left where it is at 156th street and
lighth avenue, and not removed to 149th street
as was provided for in a bill passed at Alhany
last year. The bill was permissive, not mandatory, and \$250,000 was appropriated for the
work. None of thas been used.

Mir. Brown, who acted as spekesman, said
that if the bridge was moved, it would result
in great hardship to those who live on the upper west side, and who have now no means of
reaching the business end of the city except
by crossing that bridge and connecting with
the elevated railroad. The New York Central trains run only hourly. Mr. Brown
asked in addition that the Park Commissioners put up to public auction the right to run
railroad tracks over the bridge, and he said
that the Union Electric Hailroad and the Peories Traction Company, both of which have
franchises for the route leading to the bridge,
would compete for the right to cross it.

Senator Guy said that he was instrumental
in having the bill passed that called for the
removal of the bridge, but that he was convinced that to remove it would be doing that
section of the city a great injustice. staced that to remove it would be decided of the city a great injustice.

HOLMES LEFT NO WILL.

Ignored His Promise to Give a Third of His Property to Mrs. Pletzel.

PHILADELPHIA, May 11.-Lawyer Rotan to day finished his examination of the papers and other material which H. H. Holmes turned over to him on the day of his execution. Mr. Rotan stated that he found among them nothing of public interest. There is no will among the papers and no provision is made for Mrs. Piet-Most of the papers were letters addressed tembers of Holmes's family, bidding them well, and to other persons explaining points the case against him.

When Thomas A. Fahy, the attorney for Mrs

tzel, learned that Holmes had not left a wil

Pietzel, learned that Holmes had not left a will and had not carried out his promise to provide for the widow of the man he murdered, he was both surprised and disappointed. Mr. Fahy had honed that, when Holmes sheerely promised to leave one-third of his property to Mrs. Pietzel he meant to keep his word. Mrs. Pietzel will atart for her home in Gaia, Ill., on Wednesday.

Meeting of the Council of the A. P. A. Washington, May 11.- The delegates to the meeting of the Council of the American Protective Association are nearly all in the city. The meeting will be called to order behind closed doors at 10 A. M. to-morrow. The first day's session will be devoted to organization and session will be devoted to organization and routinework. The Convention is expected to be in session five or six days, and nearly the last work will be the election of the officers. There is likely to be a stubborn light over the report of the Advisory Council against McKinley. Two committees held meetings to-day. They were the Judiciary and Executive committees. The Judiciary and Executive committees. The Judiciary and Executive committee is composed of lawyers, and Judge Stevens is Chairman of it. John W. Echols of Georgia and H. J. Swaim of California were appointed members of the committee this morning by Fresident Traynor. The Executive Committee meeting was for the purpose of looking into the reports of the Treaspurpose of looking into the Treasp purpose of looking into the reports of the Trea urer and other officers.

Col. Frank K. Hain's Funeral.

The funeral services of Col. Frank K. Hain. General Manager of the Manhattan elevated road, who was run over and killed at Clifton Springs on Saturday, were held yesterday afternoon at his residence, 105 West Fifty-eighth The Rev. Dr. Anthony H. Evans, rector est Presbyterian Church, conducted est Presbyterian Church, conducted es. Prominent among those present ge. Edwin, and Frank Gould, John D. H. H. Vrceland, George B. Post, Dr. ing, Samuel sions, Dr. John P. Munn, ley of the Grand Trunk Railroad, Rus-Joseph Eastman, Robert N. Galloway, sini, and Donald MacKay. The body to Danville, Pa., last night for inter-



## Gladness Comes

With a better understanding of the With a better understanding of the transient rature of the many physical ills which vanish before proper efforts—gentle efforts—pleasant efforts—rightly directed. There is comfort in the knowledge that so many forms of sickness are not due to any actual disease, but simply to a constipated condi-tion of the system, which the pleasant tion of the system, which the pleasant family laxative. Syrap of Figs. promptly removes. That is why it is the only remedy with millions of families, and is everywhere esteemed so highly by all who value good health. Its beneficial effects are due to the fact, that it is the one remedy which promotes internal cleanliness, without debilitating the organs on which it acts. It is therefore all important, in order to get its beneall important, in order to get its bene-ficial effects, to note when you pur-chase, that you have the genuine article, which is manufactured by the California Fig Syrup Co. only, and sold by all rep-

utable druggists.

If in the enjoyment of good health, and the system is regular, then laxa-tives or other remedies are not needed. If afflicted with any netual disease, one may be commended to the most skillful physicians, but if in need of a laxative, then one should have the best, and with the well-informed everywhere. Syrupof Figs stands highest and is most largely wed and gives most general satisfaction.

BUSINESS TROUBLES.

Minor Fattures Affrederick S. Hatch Examined as to His Assets.

Henry W. Collins and Charles O. Havens (D. P. Collins's Sons), who have a planing and moulding mill and manufacture house trimmings at 42 to 46 Bethune street, made an assignment yesterday to Charles Zust, with

out preference.

Deputy Sheriff Mulvaney received yesterday executions for \$8,078 against the Manhattan Moulding Company, manufacturers of sash, doors, blinds, &c., at 130th street near Tweifth avenue, all in favor of James J. Farley on notes.

Two orders were filed in the County Clerk's

Two orders were filed in the County Clerk's office yesterday appointing Richard P. Lydon receiver of the joint property of Mosher Bross, artificial stone contractors, of 1,402 Broadway, and the individual property of Edwin H. Mosher, on the application of Waldo Bross, and the Pelham Hod Elevator Contanty, Judgments have been obtained against the partners for about \$9,000.

Deputy Sheriff Henning has received executions against Samuel Rinaido, hatter, of 1,191 Broadway and 1,485 Third avenue, for \$888, in favor of Erchhold & Muller, and \$401 in favor of David Lirpm m. Binaido's liabilities are reported to be \$8,000.

The Sheriff has received an attachment against Thompson & Frott, merchant tailors at 137 Broadway, for \$508, in favor of W. H. Lent & Co. The Sheriff found the place in charge of J. W. Goldard und r a bill of sale.

Roper Foster has been argointed receiver in supplementary proceedings for Alfrederick S. Hatch, formerly a prominent banker and broker of Wall street, on the application of Howard Smith, Ellen T. Eaker, Harriet F. Brownell, and Mary F. Lawton, who obtained a Jakament against him for \$408,219 on Dec. 20, 1893. Mr. Hatch testified in the proceedings that he borrowed \$500,000 from Alfred Smith years ago and put it inthe firm of Fisk & Hatch, to make the assets equal to the Habilities. Since the failure of the firm of A. S. Hatch & Co., ten years ago, Mr. Hatch has been in various companies, and is the President of the Hussey Reheater and Steam Plant Improvement Company, which he organized in 1888.

BRIDGE COPS WERE WILLING.

BRIDGE COPS WERE WILLING. Capt. Ward on Trial Is Upheld by His Men.

The trial of Capt. James Ward of the Bridge police squad on a charge, presented by Trustee Henriques, that he had violated one of the rules The Park Commissioners inspected the vehicle and then granted the solicited permit.

Permission was given to Nathan Straus to sell his sterilized milk in Paradise Park, Tompkins Park, City Hall Park, and the Battery

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Park City Hall Park and the Battery by receiving contributions from the men for 1.10 for the nurpose of fighting a bill at 11 bany last winter prejudicial to their interests. bany last winter prejudicial to their interests.

Several men who had made the contributions said that they under-tood the morey was
to be used in paying a lawyer to go to Albany
and oppose the bill. All of them, however, declared that the contributions were voluntary,
and that Capt, Ward had ordered the return of
the money when the matter had been brought
to his attention. They also denied that they
had ever put up any money to buy a diamond
ring or stud for the Captain. President Howell
reserved his decision.

IMMIGRATION FROM ITALY ERBS. Wholesale Deportations at This Port Have

Cheeked the Rush.

Italian immigration is ebbing. Commissioner senner says that the wholesale deportations of undesirable immigrants have had a deterrent effect. Probably the last big shipload of Italians effect. Probably the last big shipload of Italians for the season arrived yesterday on the North German Lloyd steamship Kaiser Wilhelm II. from Genoa. There were 120 of them, and nearly all were robust. It is likely that only a few of them will be detained. Commissioner senner says that many ships that were scheduled to sail with big contingents of Italians have been withdrawn from the business of carrying steerage passengers. The steamship owners or charterers have had to bear the expense of maintaining detained immigrants, and have been forced to take back free of cost all those who have been debarred.

\$144,800 More for Those Injured at the Ford's Theatre Disuster.

WASHINGTON, May 11.-The report of the joint committee authorized to adjust the damages due those injured in the Ford's Theatre disaster was made to Congress to-day. One year ago \$105,000 was appropriated for twentyone clerks who were killed outright or died from the effects of the injuries received at the from the effects of the injuries received at the time. This was at the rate of \$5,000 each. The report to-day allows \$5,000 each in the cases of three who have died since, and appropriates \$144,800, in amounts ranging from \$50 to \$5,000, for those who were injured. This makes a grand total of \$264,000 that has been or will be appropriated as a result of that awful accident, in which twenty four persons were either killed outright or died subsequently from injuries and 105 were injured or sustained serious nervous shock. A provision in the bill reported requires the beneficharies to sign a release to all further demands upon the Government.

Supposed Evidence Against Jackson. Detective Peter Morris of the Pennsylvania Ratiroad has secured important evidence against Henry Jackson, the colored man who is under arrest in New Brunswick charged with having attempted to wreck a Pennsylvania Railroad train, the Washington limited, near Railroad train, the Washington limited, near Dean's station last Friday. The detective found near the place an iron bar, with which it is supposed the rail was dislotared. A piece of it had been cut off. Morris has found the man who cut it. He is Robert McDonald, who keems a blacksmith's shop in York, near Hudson street, Jersey City. He says he did the job for a colored man, who said his name was Jackson. McDonald will go to New Hrunswick to look at Jackson and identify him if possible.

Mayor Kitle the Flremen's Salary Bill. Two bills relating to the Fire Department were before Mayor Strong yesterday. The first, which provides for the increase of the salaries of the utlicers, he stilled. The other bill, which puts the pilots, engineers, and stokers on the puts the pilots, engineers, and stokers on the fireboats to the ranks of the uniformed force, and would increase the salary is to fite depart-ment, he will probably kill. The bill permitting the East fiver Bridge Commission to condemn piers 55 and 57. East fiver, in order to erect a bridge pier, he approved.

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MONDAY, May 11. Gold coin to the amount of \$2,050,000 was withdraws from the Sub-Treasury to-day for shipment to Europe to-morrow. All of it goes to Germany, and all but \$100,000 goes forward as merchandise; that is, foreign bankers, acting either for the Russian Government or for the Berlin banks that have recently lost a good deal of specie to Russia, pay the difference between the present rates for eight exchange and the figures at which bills should be sold to warrant shipments as a purely exchange operation, that they may secure gold in the cheapest market. These withdrawals of gold from the Sub-Treasury had some effect upon the narrow, professional dealings on the Stock Exchange. More potent influences were a revival of fears that developments in Cuba, involving the rights of American citizens, may cause serious international complications, and disappointment that the most prominent candidate for the nomination at the St. Louis Convention declines to commit himself regarding the currency question. The efforts of that candidate to secure the support

as a whole was exceedingly dull, but in spite of the sagging tendency of prices an undertone of strength was plainly discernible.

Final sales compare with those of Saturday as follows:

Surplus ..... \$56,009 \$99,580 Dec.\$43,481

surplus \$2,870,970.

The receipts of the Government to-day were: Customs, \$440,162; internal revenue, \$756,605, and miscellaneous, \$89,835, a total of \$1,232, 602. The disbursements, including \$700,000 for pensions, were \$1,347,000, being an excess of expenditures over receipts of \$254,338. For the month to date the excess of expenditures over receipts has been \$3,472,783, and for the fiscal year to date the excess of expenditures over receipts has been \$26,027,073. The net assets of the Treasury at the close of business to-day, as officially computed, compare with those of Saturday as follows:

Gold coin and but lon ... \$10.00%;

May ''.

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Available cash bases ...

Available cash balance. In-cluding gold balance. \$268,848,409 \$269,323,154 Cluding gold balance \$168,848,409 \$269,323,104

Money in London \$50,54 \$7 cent. Rate of discount in open market, for both short and three months' bills, \$2213-16 \$7 cent. Amount of buillion withdrawn from the Bank of England on balance to-day, \$6,000. Paris advices quote \$3 \$7 cents at 1024, \$100 centimes. Exchange on London, 25f. 17 centimes The statement of the Imperial Bank of Germany shows an increase of 7,088,000 marks.

The sales of mining stocks at the Consolidated Stock and Petroleum Exchange to-day were as

Total sains, 7.000 shares. Boston, May 11.—The closing quotations of electric tooks to-day were

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Thomson-Houston Trust (series B)

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COMMERCIAL COMPEND. Wheat Declines Higher at First The Viathie Supply Statement - World Shipments for the Week Heavy - Large Black Sea

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Cash on hand \$194,977, and profit and loss Supplies \$2,870,076. 

Live Stock Market

Live Stock Market.

New York, Morray May 11. - Receipt of beeves yesterday and to day were desid bond, into care to be 12. ported, 141 care direct to head simulators is, and 20 cars for the market, of care of activations at 15.1. Activity, cooling low and oblights of common of the estimated at an activity of the control Receipts of hogs yesterday and to day were 10,0%) head, including 442 head on sale. Now and wow, with inferior to good state hogs selling at \$2.00\$, \$4.10; pigs at \$4.10\$, \$4.25\$.

Real Estate Sales.

Real Estate Sales.

At the Broadway Real Estate Sales room vesterder Bryan L. Kennelly soid Sa. 140 West Sarty 0.16 street, four-story stone troid dwelling in 1 x1 9.5, to the piantiff, M. H. Mesers, as trustee for \$15.00. Mrs. J. E. Shybach has soid to D. B. Friedman four-teen lots, comprising the entire easterly back tract on Amsterdam avenue from 212th to 213th street, with three lots in the rear on each street.

Nine lots have been soid on 115th street, neight side, 175 feet cast of Lenex a come, siz to which me indicate, and three to khreenich from They will improve the property by the erection of first-class apartinent. houses, driffith Moses has sold for Mrs. Jane E. Slayback, to Danlel B. Friedman, fourtier lots coing per sing the united to or from our themselved, in the sacrety site of Amsterdam avenue from 210th to 210th afreeds, with three lots in the rear of carn about, or private forms. 414

himself regarding the currency question. The efforts of that candidate to secure the squipport of every faction in his party are so palpable that he may reasonably arouse skepticism regarding his sincerity.

According to tradition, Wall street reflects the sentiment of the country, and as nothing has occurred of late to impair reasonable made of the country, and as nothing has occurred of late to impair reasonable made of the country, and as nothing has occurred of late to impair reasonable made of the country, and as nothing has occurred of late to impair reasonable made of the country, and as nothing has occurred of late to impair reasonable. The dealings in stocks to-day were upon a very restricted scale, and resulted in lower prices for the entire list, with the single exception of American Tobacco, which closed a point higher than on Saturday, owing to a vigorous manipulation of the stock. The only other stocks that received noteworthy attention were Sugar Reliabling, St. Paul, and C. B. and Quincy, all of which together with a number of the stock. The conity of the stock that received noteworthy attention were Sugar Reliabling, St. Paul, and C. B. and Quincy, all of which together with a closed materially lower than on Saturday. The reports from Washington that the Senate might agree with the House to adjourn early in June closed materially lower than on Saturday. The reports from Washington that the Senate might agree with the House to adjourn early in June closed materially in prices. The market Real Estate Transfers.

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Appellate Division—Supreme Court—Nos. 35, 42.

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Condition of Winter Wheat. WASHINGTON, May 11. - The May returns of

the statistical division of the Department of Agriculture on the condition of winter wheat show an increase of 5.0 points above the April average, being 82.7, against 7.7 last month and 82.9 in May, 1805. The averages in nine principal winter wheat States are: Pennsylvania, 64; Ohio, 55; Michigan, 90; Indiana, 85; Kentucky, 77; Illinois, 10; Miscouri, 81; Kansas, 96; Callfornia, 100. Excepting in a few states there has been general improvement in the condition of winter wheat throughout the country. The condition of winter rise on May I was 87.7 per cent., of barley 89.2.

Tas Official Cotton Crop Report.

Washington, May 11.—The cotton report to the Department of Agriculture for May relates to the propress of planting and the proposed or contemplated area already planted on May I was 87.4 per cent, which approximates very closely the breadth usually planted at that date, which is estimated at 88.2 per cont.

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Financial.

TO THE HOLDERS OF REORGANIZATION CERTIFICATES OR RECEIPTS FOR PREFERRED AND COMMON STOCK OF THE

Northern Pacific Railroad Co., Deposited Under the Plan and Agree-

ment of March 16, 1896. NEW YORK, PRILADELPHIA, AND BERLIN, Pursuant to the provisions of said Pian and Agreement, notice is hereby given that an installment of

\$3.00 per share in respect of Proferred Stock, and on account of the cash payments specified in the Pian, 29,000 on account of the cam payments specified in the Plan is hereby called for, and is payable at other of our offices on May 20, 1808, and all no dera of such payment on perfect that date. Their reorganization certificates, or receipts must be presented so that 1,500

such payment may be endorsed thereon, J. P. MORGAN & CO., 22 Wall Street, New York. DREXEL & CO., Fifth and Chestnut Streets, Philadelphia, Pa.

DEUTSCHE BANK.

TO ROLDERS OF CENTIFICATES OF DEPOSIT IS SUED BY THE CENTRAL TRUST COM-PANY OF NEW YORK FOR THE FIRST MORTGAGE BONDS OF THE

St. Joseph & Grand Island RAILROAD COMPANY:

BAILROAD COMPANY:

In accordance with Committee's advertisement dated April 17th, 18th, a meeting of the holders of the above-described certificates will be held at the office of the CENTRAL, TRUET COMPANY of New York, third floor, Room A, 51 Wall street, New York city, on the 18th day of May, 1806 at 12 P. M.

Copies of the plan and proxies for holders who may be unable to attent said meeting can be had on application at the Central Trust Company of Rew York, the O.d Colony Trust Company, Deside, sac as Selvinie, Fickus & Co., Ltd., 75 Lombard st., London, England,
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PREDERIC P. OLCOTT, Chairman, Henry Budge. William L. Bull, Committee, Gordon Abbott, William Strauss, Counsel, J. N. Wallace, Secretary,

Bank Reports.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION CENTRAL NATIONAL BANK AT NEW YORK, IN THE STATE OF NEW YORK, AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS MAY 7, 1896.

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Diridends and Interest.

THE SUN PRINTING AND PUBLISHING ASSOCIATION. The annual election of trustees of this accounts will be held at its office, 17° Nessau street. New York, on Monday, May 23, 1899, from mon till 12:30 o'clock P. M. THOMAS HITCHCOCK, Secretary. Clertions and Meetings.

NEWARK, N. J., May 12, 1860.

Dellawark and Judoson canal company—
of the stockholder of this company will be held at the
office of the company. 21 Corridant Street, in this city,
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Proposals. COMMISSIONERS OF THE SINKING FUND.

1896. TO CONTRACTORS.

For Furnishing Materials and Performing Work Re-mired for the Furnishings and Alterations in the Curvinial Court Hubbling, on the Block Bounded by Centre, Elm, Franklin and White Streets, Furni-ant to Chapter 371, Laws of 1887, and a author-ized by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund at Meetings held June 12, 1893, December 13, 1893, January 22, 1896, and February 11, 1893. Norte—Bilds will be received as follows: 1, 1814 for furniture, cabinet work, and other work specified under heading of Furniture, Cabinet Work, 2, 1814 for histograms file to the control of the

specified under heading of Furniture, Cabinet Work,
Furnishing, etc.

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fire and burctar proof safe, and fire proof safes.

8. Bild for metallic file cases and document files, fitting up burctar proof file case and safe; removal and
setting up file cases, etc.

4. Bid for metallic file cases for the Health Department.

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For the antire and extent of the work to be done indicers are referred to the drawings and the specification. The trawings may be seen at the office of the Arentsett, lober thay nike, known is to be together to the drawings. Now York to understail Building. Now 723 and 727 ferondway, in the city of New York.

The entire work to be completed within KINETY DAYS after the notice to commence work has been it to distribute the city of Public Works.

The amount of executity required in:

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